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The Honorable Herbert R. D'Conor.
United States Senate
Vashington 25, D. C.

Dear Senator O'Conor:

Thank you for your letters of 25 June 1951, con-

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As they are presently on active duty with the Air Force, there are no steps which we can take to secure their assignment here. The request must be initiated by the i ieutenants through regular Air Force channels requesting assignment to this Agency. It is probable, however, that such a request would not be favorably considered, as we wish to utilize our training program for our own career employees who will remain permanently with CIA rather than for an employee or officer of some other branch of the Government whose services would not be available to us on a career basis.

With kindest regards, I am

Sincerely,

SIGNED

V. B. Smith Director

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